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## SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE

The Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

## Dear Sir:

The present response is submitted following an interview with the Examiner and Primary Examiner at the Patent Office on January 25, 1996. The applicants' attorney wishes to thank the Examiners for their many helpful comments. Applicants gratefully acknowledge withdrawal of the requirement for a deposit of the 14G2a antibody. Applicants also gratefully acknowledge withdrawal of the 35 USC § 102(b) rejection over Saleh et al.